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EDUCATION	University of Geneva Ph.D. in Political Science Doctoral Thesis: “The Political Economy of the European Central Bank: Economic Ideas and Strategic Action in the Euro Crisis” Link: UniGe Archive Committee: Thomas Sattler (Advisor), Simon Hug (Chair), Maurizio Ferrera (External Examiner), and Manuela Moschella (External Examiner)	Geneva, Switzerland 11/2020
	London School of Economics and Political Science M.Sc. in International Political Economy	London, UK 10/2016
	Bocconi University B.Sc. in Economics and Social Sciences, <i>cum Laude</i>	Milan, Italy 10/2015
RESEARCH AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE	London School of Economics and Political Science <i>Postdoctoral Research Officer</i> Project: “SOLID: Policy Crisis and Crisis Politics. Sovereignty, Solidarity and Identity in the EU Post 2008” Principal Investigator: Waltraud Schelkle <i>Dissertation Supervisor</i> Activity: One-to-one support to European Institute Master’s students	London, UK 9/2020 - present 2/2021 - present
	European Central Bank <i>Communications Specialist (Research)</i> <i>Ph.D. Trainee</i> DG Communications - Global Media Relations Division Activity: Research and analysis on European public opinion and ECB communications	Frankfurt, Germany 9/2019 - 8/2020 9/2018 - 8/2019
	University of Geneva <i>Research Assistant</i> Project: “Contingent Signals: The Political Preconditions of Economic Stabilization” Principal Investigator: Thomas Sattler <i>Teaching Assistant</i> Course: “Applied Statistical Methods for International Relations” Principal Instructor: Simon Hug	Geneva, Switzerland 9/2016 - 8/2018 9/2017 - 2/2018

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS Ferrara, Federico Maria and Hanspeter Kriesi (forthcoming) “Crisis Pressures and European Integration”, *Journal of European Public Policy*

Ferrara, Federico Maria, Jörg Haas, Andrew Peterson and Thomas Sattler (2021) “Exports vs. Investment: How Political Discourse Shapes Popular Support for External Imbalances”, *Socio-Economic Review*

Link: [Publisher](#); [SSRN](#)

Ferrara, Federico Maria (2020) “The Battle of Ideas on the Euro Crisis: Evidence from ECB Inter-Meeting Speeches”, *Journal of European Public Policy*, 27 (10): 1463-1486

Link: [Publisher](#); [SSRN](#)

In the media: [LSE EUROPP](#); [EuVisions](#); [Medium](#)

Ferrara, Federico Maria and Thomas Sattler (2018) “The Political Economy of Financial Markets”, *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Politics*, July 2018

Link: [Publisher](#); [SSRN](#)

ARTICLES UNDER REVIEW

“Why Does Import Competition Favor Republicans?” *R&R at Review of International Political Economy*

Link: [SSRN](#)

In the media: [The New York Times](#); [Chicago Booth Review](#)

“The Cultural Origins of Institutional Trust: The Case of the ECB” (with Siria Angino and Stefania Secola) *R&R at European Union Politics*

Link: [PEIO Seminar](#)

“Does Clarity Make Central Banks More Engaging? Lessons from ECB Communications” (with Siria Angino) *R&R at European Journal of Political Economy*

Link: [ResearchGate](#)

“Political Voice on Monetary Policy: Evidence from ECB Hearings” (with Donato Masciandaro, Manuela Moschella and Davide Romelli) *BAFFI CAREFIN Centre Research Paper No. 2021-159*

Link: [SSRN](#)

“Independence in Crisis: Strategic Central Bankers, Political Commitments, and Policy Coordination in the Euro Area”

SELECTED MEDIA

Ferrara, Federico Maria 2018. “Parole per il Nuovo Governo”, [LaVoce.info](#)

Cerrato, Andrea, Federico Maria Ferrara and Francesco Ruggieri 2017. “Trump’s Plan to Roll Back Medicaid Will Especially Affect his Voters”, [The Washington Post](#)

Cerrato, Andrea, Federico Maria Ferrara and Francesco Ruggieri 2016. “Trump Won in Counties that Lost Jobs to China and Mexico”, [The Washington Post](#)

INVITED SEMINARS

Bank of Italy (chair), *Banca d’Italia and Federal Reserve Board Joint Conference on Nontraditional Data & Statistical Learning*, 12/2020

Central Bank of Ireland (presenter), *Opportunities and Challenges in Economic Policy Communications* (Organisers: James Cross and Nicole Baerg), 1/2020

European Central Bank (presenter), *Knowledge and Attitudes towards the ECB: New Data and Applications*, 10/2019

Bank of Italy (discussant), *Workshop on Big Data & Machine Learning Applications for Central Banks*, 10/2019

CONFERENCE
PRESENTATIONS

SASE Conference (Online), 6/2021
CES Conference (Online), 6/2021
PEIO Seminar (Online), 2/2021
EUSA Biennial Conference, Denver, US, 5/2019
IPES Annual Conference, Boston, US, 11/2018
APSA Annual Conference, Boston, US, 8/2018
MPSA Annual Conference, Chicago, US, 4/2018
EPSA Annual Conference, Milano, Italy, 6/2017

REFEREE

Journal of European Public Policy, Economic Inquiry, Review of International Political Economy, European Union Politics, Journal of Population Economics

ADDITIONAL
TRAINING

Nuffield College, Oxford University Oxford, UK

CESS/Essex Summer School, *Introduction to Experiments* (Ray Duch), 7/2018

Essex University

Colchester, UK

Essex Summer School, *Quantitative Text Analysis* (Nicole Baerg), 8/2017

Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies

Geneva, Switzerland

Game Theory (Cédric Dupont), 9/2017-12/2017

Advanced Econometrics (Ugo Panizza), 2/2017-5/2017

Northwestern University

Evanston, US

Exchange Program, Department of Economics, *GPA 4.0/4.0*, 3/2015 - 6/2015

AWARDS AND
FELLOWSHIPS

European Central Bank, Ph.D. Traineeship, 9/2018 - 8/2019

Swiss National Science Foundation, Summer School Scholarship, 5/2017 & 5/2018

Italian Ministry of Education, National Award for Excellence, 7/2012

Regione Lombardia, Dote Merito, 7/2012

SKILLS

Programming Skills

Stata, R, Python, L^AT_EX

Languages

Italian (native), English (fluent), French (fluent), German (intermediate)

REFERENCES

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